

READS LIKE ROMANCE

Case of Kidnaping Which Occurred Right Here In Hopkinsville.

THE CHILD IS RECOVERED

Little Carrie Bell Gober Was Returned Monday To Her Hopkinsville Home.

Last Monday morning Carrie Belle Gober, age 13, who was stolen from her aunt in Hopkinsville some time in March, came to Princeton on the midnight train from Louisville. She was met at the station by T. H. King of this city and to him she told the following sensational story: She was living with her aunt, Mrs. Stella G. Northington, in Hopkinsville, who had brought her up from early childhood. It was one night early in March that her brother and sister, both of whom are grown and married, and neither of whom are under custody, stole the young girl away and came in the night to Princeton in an automobile. They left her bound for New York, where the married sister resides and where the little Gober girl, against her will and without her aunt's permission, was kept. About three weeks ago the older sister and her husband sailed for England to be present at the coronation. They left Carrie Belle in charge of a landlady in an out-of-way place in the Adirondack mountains, instructing the lady that the girl was to be sent to their relatives in Europe next fall. The little girl lost no time however, in seeking a communication with Mrs. Northington in Hopkinsville, who proceeded at once, according to law, to have her niece returned to that city.

Mr. and Mrs. King entertained the little girl until time for the Hopkinsville train at 7:30 when she was sent home. She had made the whole trip by herself and confesses that she was momentarily in fear of being re-captured by her brother, who had returned to Kentucky.

—Princeton News.

The little girl is now safe in the custody of Mrs. Northington, seemingly delighted to get back home.

CHRISTIAN COUNTY

War Veteran Dies at Old Soldiers' Home.

Mr. Frank M. Whitlow died yesterday morning at the Soldiers' Home at Pewee Valley, after a long illness, of cancer of the face, aged 68 years. Mr. Whitlow was a veteran of the civil war, having served in the Confederate army throughout the struggle. After the war he returned to his home in this city. He was in the employ of the Forbes Manufacturing Co., for a number of years and later resided in Cadiz. He had been at the Soldiers' Home about two years.

Mr. Whitlow is survived by five sons, Eugene, of Julien, John, of Lexington; Frank, of Fort Wayne, Ind.; R. H., of Nashville, and Victor, of California. His wife died here in 1894. He was a brother of Mr. W. H. Whitlow, of Pembroke. The remains arrived here last night.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of Mr. Nat Gaither, 611 South Liberty, this morning at 9 o'clock. Interment at Riverside Cemetery.

ELVIS A. HAILE

Well Known Insurance Agent Died at Pembroke.

Alvis A. Haile, of Pembroke, a well known insurance agent, died Saturday night of a congestive chill, aged about 50 years. Mr. Haile was one of a family of six brothers and one sister, all of whom had the same initials. He was district agent of the Mutual Life of New York, and was one of the most capable insurance men in the territory. He was unmarried.

Paducah's Telephone War.

Paducah, Ky., June 26.—The telephone war here took a new turn when the Home Telephone Company inserted an advertisement in a local paper offering \$500 reward for the arrest and conviction of the persons guilty of destroying cables of the company. During the last 30 days numerous cable lines of the company have been destroyed. Grocers following the lead taken by the doctors, lawyers and druggists, today notified patrons they will discontinue the use of the East Tennessee phone July 1. The East Tennessee Company has enjoined the city from interfering with its use of the streets and reducing rates.

COOPER IS PARDONED

Gov. Willson Stops Prosecution of the Night Rider Witness.

TWO INDICTMENTS DISMISSED.

Says He is Satisfied Real Purpose Was to Intimidate Witness.

The indictments recently returned against Arthur Cooper were yesterday dismissed, a pardon having been issued in both cases by Gov. Willson. One indictment charging breach of the peace was returned and later another for malicious shooting was brought in. Cooper was charged with raising a disturbance at the house of John Osteen, near Pee Dee, and it was alleged that he used profane language when Osteen refused to let him spend the night at his house and that he shot off a gun at the gate as he drove away. He was accompanied by Sergt. Thompson, a U. S. A. recruiting officer.

The Governor's reasons are here given:

GOVERNOR'S REASONS.

"The accused is one of the men who turned State's evidence in the so called night rider cases, since which time he has been a marked man. The Governor is not advised, in considering this case, that any just complaint can be made the officers, but is satisfied that the grand jury proceeding was set in motion by those whose purpose was not to prosecute an offense against the law, but to intimidate witnesses, and for this reason a full and free pardon is given."

The cases in which Cooper was chief witness have been dismissed in advance of trial, in the Christian circuit court, with the exception of two of the indictments against Dr. D. A. Amoss. It is expected that Cooper will be a principal witness in Federal court cases.

BURGLARY

Johnson's Drug Store Entered Saturday Night.

The drug store of L. A. Johnson & Co., was broken into, and robbed, Sunday morning sometime between 3 and 6 o'clock. The cash registers were relieved of \$250, nothing else was taken. The thief, evidently, supposed that the cash for Saturday's sales was left in the tills all night. He was mistaken, for all of the money except \$2500 was put in the safe, and this had not been touched. Entrance was gained through the front gratings. The thief went through the cellar and broke the rear door to the store. He went out the same way. As yet he has not been apprehended.

Burglars at White Plains.

Burglars made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the Farmers' Bank at White Plains, in Hopkins county, Friday night. They fixed the charge of dynamite in the safe door and had everything ready to blow it open, but were probably frightened off before doing so. A complete examination has not yet been made, but it is certain nothing was taken. Bloodhounds were taken to the scene, but could do nothing. The safe in the store of C. B. Dillingham was blown open and \$1580 secured and some merchandise taken from the stock. The explosion was heard shortly after 1 o'clock, but no suspicion was aroused then, and the robbery was not discovered until 5 o'clock.

Judge M. D. Brown and wife, who spent last week with relatives here, have returned to their home in Madisonville.

WAS HIGHLY CONNECTED.

Lee Well Known in Russellville, and Had Many Friends.

Russellville, Ky., June 23.—Edward Valentine Lee, the young paymaster's clerk, who has been arrested, charged with taking \$46,000 from the battleship Georgia at Havana last February, is well known in this city, where he is highly connected. He is the only son of Mrs. Annie Lee, of this place, and has always been held in high esteem here. His last visit to his old home was during the summer of 1910. He admits his guilt.

The department of justice and the navy department are wrestling with the problem of procedure in the case. Lee was paymaster's clerk on the warship, and it is a question whether he should be tried by court marshal or turned over to the civil authorities.

Effects of Drouth.

The Louisville Post gives the following comparative prices as a result of the drouth:

	1911.	1910.
Potatoes.....	\$4.00 bbl.	\$1.50 bbl.
Cabbage.....	2.00 crate.	35crate
Dry onions.....	2.25 bbl.	80 bbl.
Beans.....	7.00 bbl.	90 bbl.
Peas.....	7.00 bbl.	2.25 bbl.
Beets.....	25 doz.	10 doz.

Mrs. T. L. Morrow and daughter are visiting relatives in Chicago and will spend part of the summer at Colorado Springs.

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We have them sure; with our 45 years experience in examining eyes and fitting glasses. You can depend on the "Old Reliable."

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All Kind of Garden Truck, Also

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Call or Phone Orders.

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IN ALL THE NEW SHADES.

44 Inches wide, black and white stripe, light blue stripe, light blue, pink, lavender, canary, cream, white and black, price \$1.25 per yard, cut to..... 90c

Also pretty line of Silk Crepe De Chine, in all the new shades, 27 inches wide, price 90c per yard, cut to..... 75c

Price 75c yard, cut to..... 60c

Pretty line 36-inch Fancy Silk, for per yard..... 90c

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June 27, 28 and 29.

GAMES CALLED AT 3:30.

Admission.....25 cts. Children.....15 cts.

BANANAS

Car near L. & N. depot. Bunches 50c & 75c. W. M. Protzman.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Dalton have returned from Manitou, Col., where they spent two weeks with Miss Beulah Haddock, who has been in Colorado some time for her health, which is somewhat improved.

FIRST QUALITY TOOLS ARE BEST!

SEE OUR STOCK

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